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SUBJ: PRC 1977 FOREIGN TRADE NEGOTIATIONS

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1. POLISH COMMERCIAL COUNSELOR INFORMED USLO THAT CHINESE DELEGATION WILL LEAVE PAKING MARCH 23 FOR WARSAW TO NEGOTIATE 1977 TRADE PROTOCOL BETWEEN PRC AND POLAND. AFTER THREE WEEKS OR SO OF NEGOTIATIONS, VICE MINISTER OF FOREIGN TRADE CHEN CHIEH IS EXPECTED TO VISIT POLAND TO SIGN AGREEMENT.

2. PRC DELEGATION SCHEDULED DEPARTURE MARCH 28 FOR PRAGUE HAS BEEN POSTPONED ONE WEEK TO APRIL 4, ACCORDING TO CZECH COMMERCIAL COUNSELOR, LARGELY BECAUSE CZECHS FELT THEY WERE DUE ONE POSTPONEMENT AFTER MANY BY THE PRC. HE ANTICIPATES THAT CHINESE EXPORTS WILL BE DOWN BY ABOUT 15 PERCENT COMPARED WITH 1976 BECAUSE OF SHORTAGES OF CHINESE EXPORTS.

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